

REMARKS

Claims 3, 4, 11, 12, 14 and 19 are all the claims pending in the application, claims 1, 2, 5-10, 13, and 15-18 having been canceled as indicated herein. The only claims remaining are those which the Examiner indicated as containing allowable subject matter. Therefore, Applicants believe that this case is now in condition for allowance.

In view of the above, reconsideration and allowance of this application are now believed to be in order, and such actions are hereby solicited. If any points remain in issue which the Examiner feels may be best resolved through a personal or telephone interview, the Examiner is kindly requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

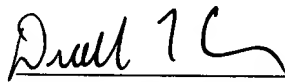
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